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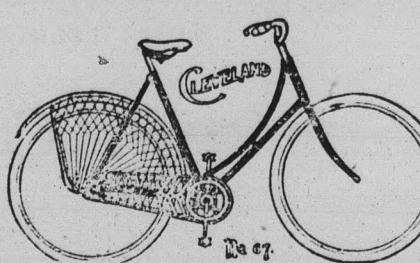
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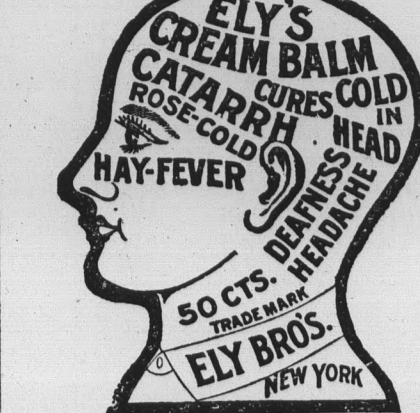


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It is a refreshing thing in a material age to see people who are ambitious to be useful rather than rich, who are more eager to help others than to make money. These are nature's noblemen; these are the characters which enrich life and which have pushed civilization up from the savage to the Florence Nightingales and the Lincolns.

One of the most promising things about our civilization today is that, side by side with the greed for gold, is the ever growing passion of humanity for good. The number of people who prefer to be useful to their fellow men rather than to make money is constantly increasing. This passion for good is the salt of humanity; it is what makes us believe in the future of the race.—Success.

ARTISTIC TEMPERAMENT.

Defined as a Disease That Afflicts Amateurs.
Gilbert K. Chesterton's "Heretics" contains some of his keenest and most amusing writing. Of great men he observes: "The first great man is equal with other men, like Shakespeare. The second great man is superior to his kind, like Whitman. The third great man is superior to other men, like Whistler." In the following there may be discovered as much truth as humor:

"The artistic temperament is a disease that afflicts amateurs. It is a disease which arises from men not having sufficient power of expression to utter and get rid of the element of art in their being. It is healthful to every sane man to utter the art within him; it is essential to every sane man to get rid of a large and wholesome vitality; it is the art within him that is the artist's life. The thing becomes a pressure and produces a definite pain, which is called the artistic temperament. Thus very great artists are able to be ordinary men—men like Shakespeare or Browning. There are many real tragedies of the artistic temperament, tragedies of vanity or violence or fear, but the great tragedy of the artistic temperament is that it cannot produce any art.

THE BRIDES OF VENICE.

An Ancient Custom That Once Had a Rude Interruption.

In the year 902, according to old custom, all the brides for the year at Venice assembled on St. Mark's eve at the cathedral, taking with them their dowries in small chests. There they awaited their bridegrooms, who followed them, and after mass they were married and received the bishop's blessing.

In this year the sea rovers of Trieste burst in upon the expectant maidens, who were all dressed in white, with hair loosely flowing and interwoven with threads of gold, carried them off to their barbs and hoisted sail.

The dogs of Venice summoned his men to arms, pursued the rovers, overtook them in a creek still known as the Port of the Danzels and brought the brides back in triumph.

In memory of this event a solemn procession of twelve young women took place yearly, and the Maritan games were observed with great splendor until the year 1379, when they were discontinued in a time of disastrous war.—London Standard.

Jefferson Identified Him.
Laurence Hutton, the author, once stopped at the Touraine hotel in Boston on his way from Bar Harbor to New York, and, being short of funds after his summer outing, the hotel clerk required identification before assigning him a suit of rooms.

Mr. Hutton looked around the lobby and noticed Joe Jefferson, to whom he confided his predicament. Mr. Jefferson went to the desk and, slapping Mr. Hutton on the back, remarked to the clerk, "I don't know who Laurence claims to be, but he's the boy." He was given the pick of the house.

Some What Different.
"This question whether a word should have its adverbial or its adjective form seems to me to have little to do with the sense. Now, what is the difference between talking loud and talking loudly?"

"No difference," replied the pedagogical friend. "But look here: For a large fee you give legal advice freely, but you don't give it free. I think that will retain you for awhile."

A Nonconformant.
"I didn't know you were in the choir. What's your position there?"

"How do you mean?"
"I don't side with either faction."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Escaped His Memory.
Mr. Seftmade—Why do they call it an alma mater, no son? The Graduate—Why—er—the fact is, I can't remember what they taught us about that.—New York Press.

No Confederate Supreme Court.

"It is a curious fact," said a New Orleans man, "that the Confederate Congress never created a supreme court. The matter was before the Richmond congress, but no statute was ever passed authorizing such a tribunal."

"It was in a debate over this very topic in the Confederate senate that the personal encounter between Ben Hill of Georgia and William L. Yancey of Alabama occurred. The senate was in executive session. The Georgia senator was speaking in favor of the creation of a court of last resort whose powers should in a way be limited. Yancey looked on this idea with disfavor, and during the course of Hill's remarks he interrupted with the insulting statement that Hill had given utterance to a lie. No sooner had he used the offensive word than Hill, picking up an inkstand, flung it with great force at his defamer. The glass struck Yancey over the eye, inflicting a severe wound, but doing him no permanent injury, although stories were long current that the blow finally caused his death."—Washington Post.

The Value of a Word.
As soon as the apartment house was ready for occupancy the janitor placed a "rented" sign in several of the second and third story windows. When the agent saw the placards he said a good many things; not exactly complimentary to the discretion of the janitor.

"What did you stick all those notices up for?" he asked.
"Revenge," was the reply. "The apartments are really rented. I thought it a good plan to let folks know they were going off so quickly."

"That is all right in principle," said the agent, somewhat mollified, "but you didn't go about it in the right way. That is not the proper kind of a notice. Never use the word 'rented' in a high class apartment. Always say 'leased.' It makes a better impression. 'Rented' sounds cheap. Any agent who wants his apartments to rent for a big price will tell you that."—New York Press.

The Short And.

Brewer says the sign & is called "anders, ampers or amprus." It is sometimes called "short and." In olden times it was known as amperand, but that word long ago fell into disuse. It is simply a contracted and rapidly made form of the Latin et. The name amperand is derived from "an" per se and "and" (which is a single symbol which in itself is and. Amperand, meaning &, is used in chapter 21 of "Mam Brde" (1850); also in a poem in Punch of April 17, 1869. The first stanza in the poem alluded to is as follows:

Of all the types in a printer's hand
Commend me to the amperand.
For as the gentleman (seems to me)
Of the typographical company,
Oh, my nice little amperand,
My graceful, amiable amperand,
Nothing that Codrus ever planned
Equals my elegant amperand!

Prussian Dairymaids.
In the great Elbing dairies in west Prussia the dairy maids are not permitted to wear corsets. The different grades of proficiency are indicated by the caps worn. The milkmaids wear white caps, the pupils white also, with the addition, however, of black velvet bands, and the dairy teachers caps with silver lace. Many daughters of the landed nobility take a course in this work, but all alike wear the uniform prescribed. This is not a skirt, but waist and knickerbockers. It is found that this is the most cleanly and comfortable and serviceable in an occupation subject to various accidents.

Risk Versus Security.
There never was a harder master than the uncertain. "Nothing venture nothing win" is a true proverb, and sometimes it is a good guiding principle. If a single question and not a general principle were under discussion we might say that the conditions warrant a venture. As a rule we are profoundly convinced that a sure dollar is better than a possible \$10; that comfort is always preferable to wealth in a lottery. The one thing to be avoided above all others is instability of income. This is not to suggest that under all conditions a man should prefer the settled and sure.—Independent.

Strictly True.
"Are you sure that is an orphan asylum across the way?" asked the stranger within the gates.
"Certainly," answered the native.
"But a policeman just told me it was an old ladies' home," protested the stranger.
"Well, that's all right," rejoined the native. "Every old lady in it is an orphan."—Chicago News.

Italian Country Dance.
In Italy when the country men and women dance together the first thing they do is to toss off their shoes, if they wear any. A man does not go up to a girl and ask if she will dance, but he fixes his eye upon her from a distance and nods. She nods in return, and then both kick off their shoes, advance toward each other and begin to dance.

Just the Place.
Young Roller—I think I'll spend that of a trip to England. His Mother—But you were to save that for a rainy day. Young Roller—Well, I'm going to London. I'll be sure to find a rainy day there.—Philadelphia Press.

The Unvarnished Fact.
He—Arctic explorers are the safest men in the world to trust yourself to. She—Why so? He—They are always cool in the time of greatest danger.

Of the Same Race.
The strongest minded woman must face the fact that she is of the same race as man.—London Globe.

THE NEEDLE'S EYE.

Strange Story of How the Sewing Machine Riddle Was Solved.

Elias Howe almost beggared himself before he discovered where the eye of the needle of a sewing machine should be located. His original idea was to follow the model of the ordinary needle and have the eye at the head. It never occurred to him that it should be placed near the point, and he might have failed altogether if he had not dreamed he was building a sewing machine for a savage king in a strange country. Just as in his actual waking experience, he was rather perplexed about the needle's eye. He thought the king gave him twenty-four hours to complete the machine and make it sew. If not finished in that time, death was to be the punishment.

Howe worked and worked and puzzled and puzzled and finally gave it up. Then he thought he was taken out to be executed. He noticed that the warriors carried spears that were pierced near the head. Instantly came the solution of the difficulty, and while the inventor was begging for time he awoke. It was 4 o'clock in the morning. He jumped out of bed, ran to his workshop, and by 9 a. needle with an "eye" at the point had been really made. After that it was easy. This is the true story of an important incident in the invention of the sewing machine.

ART OF CONVERSATION.

Spontaneity Is a Necessary Ingredient of Engaging Talk.

"What I wish," says an essayist in Cornhill Magazine, "is that people would apply the same sort of seriousness to talk that they apply to golf; to tennis, to bridge, to the study of their game, brood over their mistakes, try to do better. Why is it that so many people would think it piggish and effeminate to try to improve their talk and yet think it manly and rational to try to shoot better? Of course it must be done with a natural zest and enjoyment or it is useless.

"What a ghastly picture one gets of the old fashioned talkers and wits, committing a number of subjects to memory when they are dressing for dinner and then turning over a commonplace book for apposite anecdotes and jests, adding dates to those selected that they may not tell the same story again too soon, learning up a list of epigrams, stuck in a shaving glass, sallying forth primed to bursting with conversation!

"It is all very well to know beforehand the kind of line you would wish to take, but spontaneity is a necessary ingredient of talk, and to make up one's mind to get certain stories in to deprive talk of its fortuitous charm."

AN IRISH TYPE.

The Placid, Well Born Girl of the Little Green Isle.

"The Irishwoman never worries," said a woman who has mixed much in the upper circles of the little green isle, "because she preserves their youth better than the women of any other nation. A peculiar type of personality has been left in Ireland. England and America have drained off the progressive and hustling—England from the upper classes, America from the lower. Those who are left are of a placid, contented type, from whom the restlessness of present day civilization seems far removed. The dullness of the life led by the average well born Irish girl would be pathetic if it were not that she seems to thrive so well on it. Year after year she follows the same monotonous round, meeting the same people at tennis in summer or hockey matches in winter. If her home is in a hunting district, no matter at how low an ebb the family finances may be, they will manage to give her a good mount, but for the girls who will not hunt the long, wet winter, with few neighbors and few books, passes almost as cheerily as in a medieval castle."—New York Tribune.

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National Conference on Immigration.

THE holding of a national conference on immigration may be the means of bringing out some startling facts in connection with existing conditions in the matter of our increasing immigration and may also result in the solving of many perplexing problems and the suggesting of many remedial plans in the restricting and handling of our immigrants.

Immigration is one of the greatest problems that confronts this nation to-day. Figures and statistics reveal the startling fact that immigration is rapidly on the increase. Foreigners are surging in upon our shores from all over the world, for America is the Mecca of those who set forth to try their fortunes away from their native lands. New York is the haven of the European immigrant, San Francisco of the Japanese and Chinese.

The right kind of immigration should be encouraged, but we are menaced by an unhealthy growth. We are getting quantity and not quality dumped upon our shores. This tends to make commercial conditions poor, social conditions bad and altogether has a deteriorating effect on the race as a whole. Then, too, the laws, which are supposed to cover immigration and regulate it, only serve for grafters drag-nets, so legislation must adjust those laws or they will continue to be very ineffective.

The necessity of child-labor laws is really the outgrowth of immigration, for in our big cities conditions are such that the children of the poor immigrant must be wage-earners. Most immigrants do not have to have the Roosevelt idea of race suicide drummed into them. There is no need for it, for the families are usually large and little children must go into sweat shops where race suicide in reality is accomplished. When the law steps in and stops child-labor then the immigrant's family starves or begs or steals, for existence is necessary. A solution for problems like these is awaited with interest.

The educational opportunities which America offers to immigrants are fine, but the class of immigrants who take advantage of those opportunities are largely Japanese, who despite all the taxpayers may give them can never amalgamate with our race. An ideal condition would be the education and intellectual development of fine physical specimens of foreigners, who would strengthen the Nation and make a more rugged people of us. Too often, however, we get the scum of the earth, as foreign countries ship their worst population to America, thus making themselves more secure. We get immigrants of unhealthy social ideas and of unsound physique. All this we must guard against.

The findings of the National Conference is looked forward to with great interest.

Moral Training in Our Schools.

PRESUMABLY in order to bring out comment, discussion and ultimately good suggestions, the moral training in our schools has been given as the subject of a competitive essay contest by a well-known educational institution. Undoubtedly the moral side of school training is the most delicate and the most intricate to handle. Morality is not a thing of to-day, but it is the culmination of ancestry, hereditary characteristics and the earliest home environment. If all this were favorable the moral training in our schools would not be the perplexing problem that it is to-day. Unfortunately, and naturally, too, this is not the case. On the other hand, moral training in the school necessitates the working with all kinds of materials and the whipping into shape of ragged units toward the end of discipline and ideal.

It is a stupendous task that reminds us how great the work of a teacher. The conscientious mother finds it difficult to manage and direct one or two children. What then of the teacher with thirty or forty children to handle?

Mind-training is the smallest part. It is the moral training wherein lies all the task. Once we have the proper moral training, duty will have been understood and book-learning will follow as a matter of course. Then the moral training is the highest training any Institution can give. If a child fails to understand algebra it is nothing compared to its failing to understand good principle. Better turn out good citizens than brilliant ones.

Our schools can do a great deal in the matter of moral training provided the odds are not too great against the teacher. Much depends upon the teacher's fitness for the work. He must be a master craftsman to get good results out of some of the materials teachers have to work with, but if there is not too much innate badness or evil home influence much good moral training is possible. If the art of moral training were better understood our reform schools and prisons would not be so crowded.

The home is formulative, the school is corrective, in the matter of habit. If the home influence is unfavorable the school, through its teacher, must exert a more powerful influence through strength of personality or interests. In this way the good influence may be made to effect and predominate. The teacher who is successful in the moral training of children must be endowed, however, with the principle and philosophy of a Marcus Aurelius, the wisdom of a Solomon, the patience of a Job and the endurance of a Napoleon.

McKINLAY'S Exclusion Bill may have excited Roosevelt, but the Pacific Coast vouches for its necessity.

THE appointment of a good Board of Health will mean much for Sonoma.

Oakland on the Rate Issue.

At the time the Board of Trade of Oakland, Cal., appointed delegates to the Interstate Commerce Law Convention at Chicago, the following resolutions, submitted by a committee, were adopted unanimously:

"Whereas, An effort is to be made in the next Congress of the United States to empower the Interstate Commerce Commission with authority to fix and regulate freight rates throughout the United States, and

"Whereas, The Pacific Coast is peculiarly situated in so far as freight transportation is concerned by reason of water competition from all parts of the world, and

"Whereas, Arbitrary freight rates based on mileage, or, not taking into consideration the peculiarly advantageous water transportation conditions would work a hardship on all shippers on the Pacific Coast; would give undue power to any commission and might tend to upbuild one section of the country to the detriment of another section and to crush legitimate competition, and

"Whereas, The Oakland Board of Trade is entitled to three delegates to the Interstate Law Convention to be held in Chicago, October 26, 27, and 28, 1905, and said Oakland Board of Trade by resolution has put itself on record as adverse to legislation that will give the Interstate Commerce Commission power to make freight rates; therefore be it

"Resolved, That this committee recommend the appointment of a committee of three from the Oakland Board of Trade and suggest the following: Hugh Hogan, I. A. Beretta and Secretary Edwin Stearns, to attend the Interstate Commerce Law Convention to be held in Chicago, October 26, 27, and 28, and protest against any and all resolutions that may be offered tending to give the Interstate Commerce Commission power to arbitrarily fix freight rates; and be it further

"Resolved, That in the belief that such fixing of freight rates will prove a great detriment to the shipping of the Pacific Coast, this committee requests the board of directors of the Oakland Board of Trade to ratify the action of this committee."

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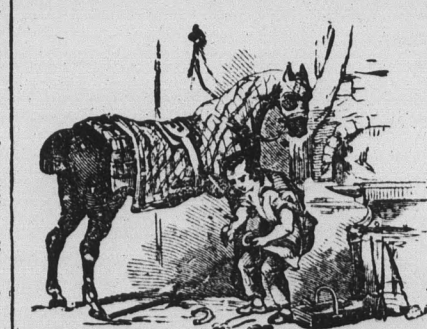
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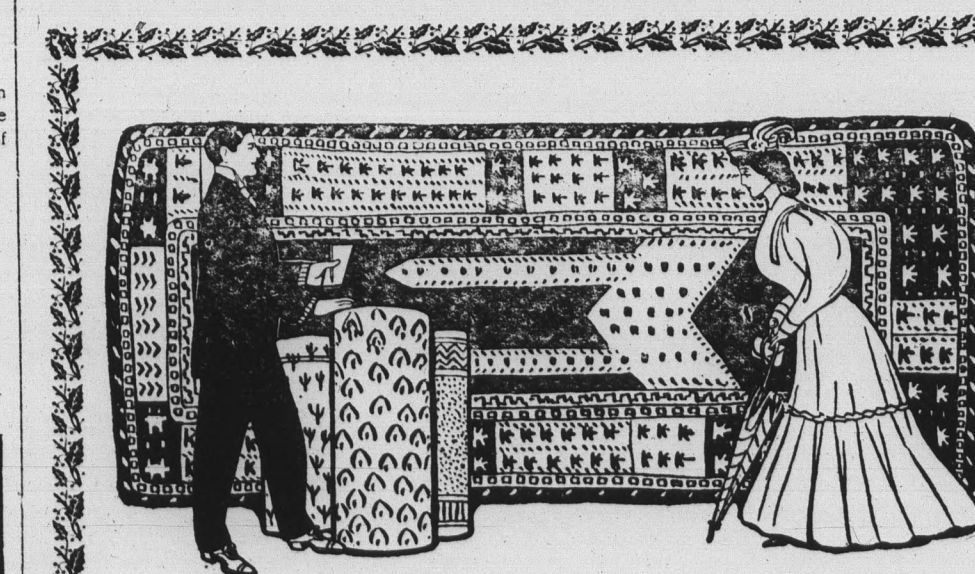
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LONG ENGAGEMENTS.

A Woman's Plan by Which to Bring About Happy Marriages.

Marriage is an institution of the state; therefore she should put it out of the bonds of possibility that people can marry each other in two days or a week. How many marriages would be broken off if the state required a three years' engagement before people are married? After all, if a woman wants to become a nun in two months, no convent in the world will accept her. She must be a novice for two or three years. During that time she has to make an examination of her conscience every day and to find out if she has a vocation for a nun. But women and men marry without the slightest preparation, without the slightest thought of the future, while Dame Nature laughs at her most odd pairings. She wants her world peopled. That is her part. The men and women who are ill suited to each other are not her affair.

Girls and boys at school should be taught to look upon marriage as the most beautiful, the happiest, the most desirable and the most possible thing in the world. Boys should be taught to keep their minds and their bodies pure for the state which they will probably enter and to have a sense of protection and loyalty to girls, and girls should be taught industry, self sacrifice and responsibility for the married state.—Mrs. T. P. O'Connor in Black and White.

THE FOUR AGES.

So Life Goes, Always Has Gone and Always Will Go.

Here are man's four views of time: "You still have forty years to live," said the guardian spirit to the youth. "It is a long, long time," the youth replied, "and I will do a great deal before it is past." "You have thirty years yet to live," the guardian spirit said to the still young man. "Well, that is quite awhile," was the reply. "Probably I cannot do all I intended, but I will make quite a showing."

"You have twenty years to live," the spirit said to the middle aged man. "Only twenty? Well, I suppose I will have to do the best I can in that length of time." For the last time the guardian spirit appeared. "You yet have ten years left," he said to the rapidly aging man. The man sighed. "But ten years," he whispered in reply. "And what can one do in those few days?"

And when the end had come the man looked backward and moaned, "I am leaving it nearly all undone!"

And so life goes, although youth will not believe it, and only old age fully realizes that it is so.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

FIDDLERS AND DRUMMERS.

The Two Classes of Insects That Produce Audible Sounds.

Insects that produce sounds audible to human ears have been roughly divided into two classes—fiddlers and drummers. The grasshopper is a fiddler and makes music by scraping its fore wings against the rows of spiny teeth that ornament its thighs. The katydid also plays an entomological fiddle. It produces its notes by rubbing the inner side of the hind legs over the front wings.

The locust, on the other hand, is a drummer, and a loud one too. His drum is formed by a membrane situated at the base of the fore wing, and he can make a forest ring with it. The cicada, or seventeen year locust, carries a drum at the base of the abdomen and makes with it a noise that seems to be quite as terrifying in the insect world as that produced by the gorilla pounding its resounding chest in among wild beasts. It is said that the cicada sometimes frightens away its enemies with the rattle of its drum.

There are other drumming insects which make good music, but the violinists, after all, carry off the palm, for the great insect soloist, the cricket, is a fiddler.

The Month of August.

Few persons know why August has thirty-one days. July, which takes its name from Julius Caesar, has thirty-one days, and Augustus, who completed the calendar, declined to submit to the indignity of seeing his own month branded with the inferiority of one day less. The astronomer had accordingly to reshuffle the lunar cards, and, after some perplexity, hit upon the expedient of shearing twenty-four hours from February's glory in order that August might face the world on a footing of perfect equality with July.

His Insanity.

"Your honor," said the attorney, "this man's insanity takes the form of a belief that every one wants to rob him. He won't allow even me, his counsel, to approach him."

"Maybe he's not so crazy after all," murmured the court in a judicial whisper.—London Express.

Made It Emphatic.

"What's Maude crying about now?" "Oh, she asked her husband if he would marry again in case she died, and he declared that he wouldn't."

"Well, nothing wrong about that."

"No; but you should have heard him say it."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

And Her Money.

"Yes, I was sorry to see Jack Goodley married to Miss Roxley."

"Sorry? For his sake or hers?"

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Some weeks ago during the severe winter weather both my wife and myself contracted severe colds which developed into the worst kind of a grippe with all its miserable symptoms," says Mr. J. S. Eggleston of Maple Landing, Iowa. "Knees and joints aching, muscles sore, head stopped up, eyes and nose running, with alternate spells of chills and fever. We began using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, adding the same with a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, and by its liberal use, soon completely knocked out the grippe."

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Habit In Appetite.

The so called cravings of appetite are purely the result of habit. A habit once acquired and persistently followed soon has us in its grasp, and then any deviation therefrom temporarily disturbs our physiological equilibrium. The system makes complaint, and we experience a craving, it may be, for that to which the body has become accustomed, even though this something be in the long run distinctly injurious to the welfare of the body. There has thus come about a sentiment that the cravings of the appetite for food are obedience to nature's laws. This idea, however, is fundamentally wrong. Any one with a little persistence can change his or her habits of life, change the whole order of cravings, thus demonstrating that the latter are purely artificial and that they have no necessary connection with the welfare or needs of the body. In other words, dietetic requirements are to be founded not upon so-called instinct and craving, but upon reason and intelligence.—Russell H. Chittenden in Century.

Cured Paralysis.

W. F. Bailey, P. O. True, Texas, writes: "My wife had been suffering five years with paralysis in her arm, when I was persuaded to use Ballard's Snow Liniment, which cured her all right. I have also used it for old sores, frostbites and skin eruptions. It does the work." Sold by L. S. Simmons.

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A Certain Cure for Croup.

When a child shows symptoms of croup there is no time to experiment with new remedies, no matter how highly they may be recommended. There is one preparation that can be depended upon. It has been in use for many years and has never been known to fail. It is Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Give it and a quick cure is sure to follow. Mr. M. F. Compton of Market, Texas, says of it, "I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in severe cases of croup with my children, and can truthfully say it always gives prompt relief." For sale by Shoults & Co.

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Now, Then.

"Do you mean to say this child fell from the third story and landed on her feet?"

"Yes," replied the policeman. "I was an eyewitness."

"That settles it!" replied the neighbor. "I always said her mother was a cat."—Detroit Free Press.

His Mission.

Old Mortality was freshening up the fleecy inscriptions on the ancient tombstones.

"I merely wish to show," he explained to the curious bystanders, "that there is nothing essentially new in modern fiction."—Chicago Tribune.

His Wife's Will.

"What makes Peck look so worried?"

"It's been contesting his wife's will."

"Why, I didn't know his wife was dead."

"That's just it; she isn't."—Cleveland Leader.

He who speaks for any length of time in the presence of others without flustering his hearers awakens their displeasure.—Goethe.

Coughing Spell Causes Death.

Harry Duckwall, aged 25 years, choked to death early yesterday morning at his home, in the presence of his wife and child. He contracted a slight cold a few days ago and paid but little attention to it. Yesterday morning he was seized with a fit of coughing which continued for some time. His wife sent for a physician, but before he could arrive another coughing spell came on and Duckwall died from suffocation.—St. Louis Globe Democrat, Dec. 1st, 1901.

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3:41 PM	3:36 PM	Santa Rosa and Intermediates	7:20 PM	7:20 PM
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